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COUNTRY	East Germany	REPORT	
TOPIC	Soviet Shipments Loaded in the Cottbus Railroad District		25X1
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25X1 In April 1953, the following shipments were loaded at 23 railroad stations in the Cottbus railroad district:

1. Total Shipments:

Note: The figure in brackets under Load indicates the number of cars with a given load.

From	Number of Cars	Load
Brand	6	military goods
Cottbus	28	1 train with undetermined load (19) 1 and other military goods
Doberlug-Kirchhain	41	gravel 2
Elsterwerder	138	gravel 2
Finsterwalde	37	foodstuff (24) and other military goods
Forst	10	military goods
Grossroehrsdorf	2 poles	
Hohenbocka	25	broken stones 2
Hohenbucko-Lebusa	4	firewood
Hohenleipisch	11	sand (6) and military goods
Kamenz	9	military goods
Koenigsbrueck	15	tanks (6) and other military goods
Klasdorf	1	poles

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From	Number of Cars	Load
Lieberose	43	1 train with undetermined load (15) tanks (4) and firewood
Luebben	16	tanks (3) and other military goods
Peitz	7	tank and beams
Ruhland	280	fuel
Schleife	52	fuel
Schlieben	14	beams
Schwepnitz	10	military goods
Vetschau	2	tank spare parts
Weisswasser	4	poles
Welzow	3	military goods

2. Some of the above shipments are broken down below:

April 1953	Number of Cars	Load	Dispatcher	Consignee
8	2 B	military goods	Brand [] 25X1	Brandenburg [] 5 25X1
20	2 F	"	"	Wustemark [] 25X1
26	2 F	"	"	Wustemark [] 25X1
3	2 B	clothing	Cottbus	Bernau
6	19 F	military goods 202 tons	"	Cottbus Apreewald station
14	1 SS	tank, 30 tons	Cottbus []	Wansdorf [] 25X1
18	1 SS	tank, 50 tons	Cottbus []	Kirchmoeser [] 25X1
	2 B	oil	Cottbus []	Kummersdorf [] 25X1 [] 25X1
1-30	40 G	gravel	Doberlug-Kirchhain	Vogelsang Kirik
8-30	138 G	gravel	Elsterwerder	Vogelsang Kirik
2-8	5 B	tables	Finsterwalde	Teltow [] 25X1

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April 1953	Number of Cars	Load Tons	Dispatcher	Consignee	25X1
13-30	23 B	foodstuff	Finsterwalde [redacted] 25X1	Werneuchen, Brand Werneuchen, Cottbus Wolzow, Justerbog Altes Lager	[redacted]
9	2 B	military goods	Finsterwalde [redacted] 25X1	Klaus	[redacted] 25X1
15	1 B	military goods	Finsterwalde [redacted] 25X1	Velten	[redacted] 25X1
30	2 B	potatoes	Finsterwalde [redacted] 25X1	Golssen starchworks	[redacted] 25X1
145	3 B	clothing	Forst	Bernau	[redacted]
1	7 B	military goods	Forst-boundary	Muellrose	[redacted]
1	2 SS	poles	Grossroehrsdorf	Dresden	[redacted]
24-27	25 G	broken stones	Hohenbocka	Koethen	[redacted]
5	4 B	military goods (ammunition ?)	Hohenleipisch Maj Korishev	Altenhain	
26	6 G	moulding sand	Hohenleipisch	Rummelsburg	
28	4 G	military goods	Kamenz-North	Kubschuetz	
25	3 F	tractors	"	Bautzen	
1	3 SS	tanks	Koenigsbrueck [redacted] 25X1	Finsterwalde	[redacted] 25X1
2-27	4 B	military goods	Koenigsbrueck [redacted] 25X1	Dresden	
5	2 F	trucks	Koenigsbrueck [redacted] 25X1	Roederau	
8	2 B	military goods	Koenigsbrueck [redacted] 25X1	Radebeul-West	
25	2 SS	tanks	Koenigsbrueck [redacted] 25X1	Kirchmoetter	
10	1 SS	tank, 50 tons	Koenigsbrueck-East	Kirchmoetter	
6	4 B 11 F	military goods 300 tons	Lieberose	Eberswalde	

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April 1953	Number of Cars	Load Tons	Dispatcher	Consignee
10-30	23 G	firewood	Lieberose	Aken, depot
11	1 SS	tank, 40 tons	"	Kirchmoesser
20	1 SS	tank, 50 tons	"	"
20	1 SS	tank, 50 tons	"	Finow
24	1 SS	tank, 60 tons	"	Wuensdorf
20	1 SS	tank, 40 tons	Luebben [redacted] 25X1	Wuensdorf [redacted] 25X1
7	1 SS	tank, 30 tons	Luebben [redacted] 25X1	Kirchmoesser [redacted] 25X1
21	1 SS	tank, 50 tons	Luebben [redacted] 25X1	Peitz [redacted] 25X1
22	2 B	trunks	Luebben [redacted] 25X1	Peitz [redacted] 25X1
25	4 F	field kitchens	"	Jueterbog [redacted] 25X1
23	1 R	meat	Luebben	Jueterbog Nikolashin
25	1 B	arms and ammunition	Luebben [redacted] 25X1	Peitz Opt Dimitroff
29	1 SS	tank, 50 tons	Peitz	Kummersdorf
1	3 B	boot polish	Ruhland [redacted] 25X1	Teltow-West [redacted] 25X1
9+18	14 F/S	beams	Schlieben	Jueterbog, Aken
3	9	military goods 130 tons	Schwepnitz	Roederau
27	1 SS	tank, 40 tons	"	Wuensdorf
20	2 B	tank spare parts	Vetschau	Muellrose
5	4 SS	poles	Weisswasser [redacted] 25X1	Peitz [redacted] 25X1
7	2 B	military goods	Welzow [redacted] 25X1	Lindau [redacted] 25X1
17	1 B	"	Welzow [redacted] 25X1	Velten [redacted] 25X1

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B - Boxcar

F - Flatcar

SS - SS-type flatcar

G - Gondola Car

F/S - Flatcar with sideracks

R - Refrigerator Car

- 25X1 1. [] Comment. Possibly troop shipments.
- 25X1 2. [] Comment. Construction material deliveries to airfields, primarily to Oranienburg airfield which is being improved.
- 25X1 3. [] Comment. As compared with March 1953, outgoing shipments to military consignees from the hydrogenation plant in Schwarzhilde-Ruhland and the fuel depot in Schleife increased by about 100 percent, probably as a result of intensified air activity observed in April and the movement of troop units to training grounds. []
- 25X1 4. [] Comment. Comparable data were available for 16 railroad stations of the 23 mentioned. After deduction of the shipments which possibly carried troops and the shipments loaded with material for the airfields, a total of 520 cars was loaded in the Cottbus railroad district in April as against 510 loaded in March. Soviet supply traffic thus was normal.
- 25X1 5. [] Comment.
- 25X1 []
- confirms the 71st Mecz Regt of the 9th Mecz Div in Cottbus until 14 April
- confirms the 44th Gds Tank Regt of the 11th Gds Tank Div in Koenigsbraeck until 14 April
- confirms the 99th Sig Bn of the 9th Mecz Div in Cottbus until 5 April
- confirms the 70th Mecz Regt of the 9th Mecz Div from Cottbus until 20 April
- confirms the unidentified engineer regiment of the 1st Gds Mecz Army in Dresden until 1 April
- confirms the 80th Gds Hv Tank SP Regt of the 9th Mecz Div until 21 April. In mid-May 1953 the regiment transferred from the Panzer Jaeger Kaserne at Spremberg to the Forst Tauer troop training grounds. Subsequently the Kaserne at Spremberg was occupied by KVP.

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